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Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: Human Rights Campaign Fund PAC C00235853
February through September Monthly Reports

Dear Ms. Manzano:

Thank you very much for your assistance to Eric Rosenthal of our organization in providing the information we need to answer your questions with respect to the above-captioned reports. Your questions fall into two categories - (1) whether we made excessive contributions to the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee and (2) whether we have met the "best efforts" standard in identifying contributors of more than \$200 per year. Our response is as follows:

(1) The Human Rights Campaign Fund contributed \$15,000 to the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee on February 17, 1993, the maximum we are permitted by law. We also made contributions totaling \$12,500 to the Democratic Special Election Fund, a joint fund raising committee of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee and the campaigns of now-Representatives Bennie Thompson (M-2), Peter Barca (WI-1) and Sam Farr (CA-17). We designated our contributions to the joint fund raising committee specifically to the following candidates in the following amounts:

4/5/93 - \$5,000	Bennie Thompson	MS - 2	special runoff
4/12/93 - \$5,000	Peter Barca	WI - 1	special runoff
4/12/93 - \$2,500	Sam Farr	CA - 17	special runoff